1	2	3	4	5
3.	CESC Limited, West Bengal	53 Million US $	0	0
4.	Asian Electronic Limited, Maharashtra	0	5.5 Million US $	0
5.	Ahmedabad Electricity Company,	20 Million US $	0	0
6.	SREI International Finance Limited, West Bengal-I	IS Million US $	3 Million US $	0
	SRE International Finance Limited, West Bengal-II	10 Million US $	0	5 Million US S

(b) and (c) According to information available, IFC has not cancelled any of its agreements for the above projects nor is there information of any mass bungling in investment and financial sources of these projects.

Power selling by PTC to SEBs

†1897. SHRI RAM JETHMALANI: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that power is being sold by Power Trading Corporation to various State Electricity Boards of the country;

(b) if so, the names of those State Electricity Boards along with the quantity and the rate at which power was sold by the Power Trading Corporation during the year 2000-2001; and

(c) the rate at which power has been purchased from power producing institutions during the said year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) Yes, Sir. .

(b) During the year 2000-2001, Power Trading Corporation of India Ltd. (PTC) sold power as per the details given below:

(i) 1.44 million units energy to Jindal Vijayanagram Steels

†Original notice of the Question was received in Hindi.

Limited (JVSL) through Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited (KPTCL) at the rate of 285 paise/KwH during peak and 250 paise/KwH during off-peak hours; and

(ii) 42.32 million units energy to Gujarat Electricity Board (GEB), 41.67 million units at the rate of 263 paise per KwH from 11th November to 30th November 2000 and 0.65 million units at the rate of 262 paise/KwH from 1st December, 2000. The transaction was completed on 1st December, 2000.

(c) During the year 2000-2001, PTC purchased power as per the details given below:

(i) From Maharashtra State Electricity Board (MSEB) at the rate of 282.5 paise/KwH during peak and 247.5 paise/KwH during off peak hour for supply to JVSL through KPTCL; and

(ii) From Punjab State Electricity Board at the rate of 258 paise/ KwH for supply to GEB.

Review of Powers and the Accountability of CEA

1898. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to review the powers and the accountability of Central Electricity Authority;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) to (c) The Central Electricity Authority, the premier technical body in the power sector has to adapt its role and discharge its responsibilities to suit the evolving needs of the power sector in the country. The Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad has been asked to examine the issue and give their recommendations.